
TITLE 405 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule

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Under [IC 4-22-2-23](#), the Office of the Secretary of Family and Social Services intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

OVERVIEW: Adds [405 IAC 5-2-7.1](#) to add the definition for curative care service. Amends [405 IAC 5-34-5](#) to add face-to-face encounter requirements for continued hospice eligibility. Amends [405 IAC 5-34-6](#) to allow Medicaid recipients less than 21 years of age to receive curative care services concurrently with hospice services. Amends [405 IAC 5-34-7](#) to add plan of care requirements for Medicaid recipients less than 21 years of age receiving curative services concurrently with hospice services. Written comments and questions may be addressed to the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule. Statutory authority: [IC 12-8-6.5-5](#); [IC 12-15-1-10](#); [IC 12-15-21-2](#); [IC 12-15-40](#).

For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule is:

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For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Ombudsman designated by [IC 5-28-17-5](#) is:

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Resources available to regulated entities through the small business ombudsman include the ombudsman's duties stated in [IC 5-28-17-5](#), specifically [IC 5-28-17-5\(9\)](#), investigating and attempting to resolve any matter regarding compliance by a small business with a law, rule, or policy administered by a state agency, either as a party to a proceeding or as a mediator.

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